

# COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES PROBATION DEPARTMENT

9150 EAST IMPERIAL HIGHWAY - DOWNEY, CALIFORNIA 90242 562-940-2501



December 20, 2011

The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 West Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 **ADOPTED** 

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

#46 DECEMBER 20, 2011

SACHI A. HAMAI EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Dear Supervisors:

ADOPT A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE COUNTY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE DISPROPORTIONATE MINORITY CONTACT (DMC) SUPPORT PROJECT YEAR 3 FUNDING ADMINISTERED BY THE CORRECTIONS STANDARDS AUTHORITY (CSA)

(3 VOTES, ALL SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS)

#### SUBJECT:

The County of Los Angeles Probation Department (Probation) is requesting that your Board adopt a Resolution to support the County's participation in the Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC) Support Project Year 3 funding.

#### IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

Adopt a Resolution (Attachment) to support the County's participation in the DMC Support Project for Year 3 grant period of January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012.

#### PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDATION

The purpose of the recommended action is to adopt a resolution to support the County's participation in the DMC Support Project Year 3 grant period of January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012. As required by Corrections Standards Authority (CSA), a resolution from the Board of Supervisors addressing specific grant-related requirements must be submitted with the grant re-application each year.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors December 20, 2011 Page 2

On December 15, 2009, the Board adopted a resolution to support the County's participation in the initial grant period for the DMC Support Project, and authorized the Chief Probation Officer to accept grant funds awarded from CSA in an estimated amount of \$300,000 for a three-year period.

The grant periods are referred to as Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3. On January 4, 2011, the Board adopted a resolution to support the County's participation in Year 2 of the DMC Support Project.

Year 3 funding is contingent on Probation's submittal of a non-competitive application and availability of CSA funds. To this end, the grantees in Year 3 must complete the third year grant re-application to be eligible for Year 3 funds. If awarded, Year 3 grant funds will continue the County's efforts in developing the DMC reduction strategies.

## Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

The recommended action supports the Countywide Strategic Plan Goal #1 Operational Effectiveness; and Goal #5 Public Safety. Implementation of these recommendations will provide services that will be beneficial to probation youth and their families by improving their well being and promoting self-sufficiency.

## FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

If awarded, grant funding for Year 3 will be approximately \$100,000 for the period of January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012. CSA funding is contingent on legislative funding and will be granted on a non-competitive basis. There is no net County cost (NCC) match requirement.

#### FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

Probation intends to submit the re-application for Year 3 funding prior to the CSA deadline. If awarded, Probation will implement Year 3 of the DMC program beginning January 1, 2012. The resolution, required as part of the application process, has been approved as to form by County Counsel.

#### IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES

If awarded, Year 3 of the DMC Support Project grant funds will continue the County's efforts in developing the DMC reduction strategies.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors December 20, 2011 Page 3

## CONCLUSION

Upon approval by your Board, it is requested that the Executive Officer/Clerk of the Board send the adopted Board Letter and signed resolution to: Probation Department, Attention: Tasha Howard, Director, Contract Management Division, 9150 E. Imperial Hwy Downey, CA 90242.

Respectfully submitted,

JERRY E. POWERS Chief Probation Officer

JEP:TH:DS:he

## Attachment

c: Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors County Counsel Chief Executive Office

## RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE COUNTY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE DISPROPORTIONATE MINORITY CONTACT (DMC) SUPPORT PROJECT YEAR 3 ADMINISTERED BY THE CORRECTIONS STANDARDS AUTHORITY (CSA)

WHEREAS the County of Los Angeles Probation Department desires to participate in the DMC Support Grant Project supported by federal Formula Grant funds and administered by the Corrections Standards Authority (hereafter referred to as CSA).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Chief Probation Officer is authorized on behalf of the Board of Supervisors to submit the grant proposal for this funding for the period of January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012, and sign the Grant Agreement with the CSA, including any amendments thereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that federal grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County agrees to abide by the statutes and regulations governing the federal Formula Grants Program as well as the terms and conditions of the Grant Agreement as set forth by the CSA.

The foregoing resolution was on the 20th day of December, 2011, adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles and ex officio the governing body of all other special assessment and taxing districts, agencies and authorities for which Board so acts.

> SACHI A. HAMAI, Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of The County of Los Angeles

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ANDREA SHERIDAN ORDU

COUNTY COUNSE

By.

Gordon W. Trask, Principal Deputy

County Counsel